

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 1161 - SB 1488

March 19, 2023

SUMMARY OF BILL: Establishes that a person or entity who lawfully elects to prohibit the possession of firearms on the person's or entity's property by a person who is otherwise authorized to carry a firearm is not immune from civil liability with respect to a claim based on the person's or entity's adoption of a firearm prohibition policy.

FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- To the extent the proposed legislation increases the civil liability of private parties who elect to prohibit firearms on the premises of property, any resulting fiscal impact will be borne by those parties. To the extent it increases the civil liability of state and local government, it could potentially increase the expenditures governments incur related to defending against such claims and paying awards. However, such claims are assumed to be infrequent and the timing and amounts of any such increases are not known.
- Any fiscal impact to state or local government related to this provision is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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